

Alarm Conditions

Kunsan Air Base uses standardized Alarm Conditions to respond to enemy attacks:

Alarm Green: Pre-attack; attack is not probable

Alarm Yellow: Pre-attack; attack is probable. Perform mission-critical tasks and seek cover.

Alarm Blue: Trans-attack; attack is imminent or in progress. Stop what you're doing, take cover.

Alarm Black: Post-attack; attack is over. Base will conduct recovery operations.

Movement in Alarm Black

In order to resolve any confusing concerning movement during Alarm Black, follow these simple rules:

When you hear "Alarm Black," the attack is over. The base will begin recovery operations, but do it only as directed by the Battle Staff. Movement during Alarm Black is restricted to three phases:

(1) "Alarm Black, MOPP XX, Begin Sweeps": The only personnel authorized to move during this phase are Airfield Damage Assessment Teams (ADAT), NBC Reconnaissance teams, and facility post-attack sweep teams. All others sit tight.

(2) "Alarm Black, MOPP XX, Critical Missions Only": After post-attack sweeps are complete, the Battle Staff may authorize commanders to conduct critical mission tasks. The SRC will notify the UCCs when the time is appropriate to begin critical mission tasks. All others sit tight.

(3) "Alarm Black, MOPP XX, Shift Change Authorized": Shift Change is now authorized as directed by the Battle Staff. No shift change in Alarm Black is authorized until this phase begins.

If you are contaminated, you must eventually process through the CCA, as directed by your UCC.

These policies are designed to maximize personnel protection while allowing mission accomplishments. If you have any questions, please contact 8 CES/CEX at 782-4849 (peacetime) or 782-6052 (during contingencies).



Photo by Staff Sgt. Jerry Morrison, 8th CS/VI

Senior Airman Jason Melahn, 8th Maintenance Squadron, battles to secure his helmet after an Alarm Blue during Kunsan's January exercise.



Warriorscopes



Capricorn (Dec. 22 - Jan. 19)

One problem Capricorn has is letting people take advantage of your good nature, especially the media. If reporters call asking for information, kindly direct them to public affairs at 782-4705. Even the smallest piece of information can be used against the team.



pushed too hard, rushed, disrupted and being indoors and it feels as though this exercise has done all this to you. Take a deep breath Taurus. Keep in mind, you're not the only one feeling the pressure.



like sloppiness and anything hazardous to your health such as trash. Remind others to clean up after themselves and not to litter. Leaving trash signals your presence to the enemy and also attracts rodents, insects and bacteria.

Aquarius (Jan. 20 - Feb. 18)

It's true you're very independent Aquarius, but this is a team effort. Be willing to work with others and enjoy some time off with buddies to help ease tension and relax during this high-stress wartime.



Gemini (May 21 - June 21)

Gemini loves to talk! Be careful though. Anyone with basic monitoring equipment can listen to phone calls, even the enemy. Don't discuss classified or sensitive information over nonsecure phones.



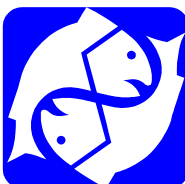
Libra (Sept. 23 - Oct. 23)

Libra, you are known to hate violence, but it's no excuse not to call in that suspicious character you saw on your way to work. Don't assume someone else will make the call. You may have seen something someone else didn't see. Give a SALUTE report to your UCC and you could deter violence in your area.



Pisces (Feb. 19 - March 20)

Pisces loves to dream. However, you could find yourself in trouble when you get caught snoozing on the job. Even in MOPP 4, co-workers and EET members can still see your eyes.



Cancer (June 22 - July 22)

With Cancer's sensitive nature, you know better than to try to talk around, paraphrase or use code words to discuss sensitive information. Remind co-workers to always use a STU III system when discussing classified information.



Scorpio (Oct. 24 - Nov. 21)

Everyone wants to get home Scorpio, especially after spending three hours in Alarm Black, MOPP 4. However, on the way to the dorm, you still need to play. When caught in an Alarm Blue, don your gear, stay away from aircraft and vehicles and take cover.



Aries (March 21 - April 29)

Aries loves exercises because they involve your best qualities – your love for action and challenges. Of course, exercises also highlight your two greatest faults – admitting failure and taking other's advice. If you make a mistake Aries, it's okay. Learn and keep fighting. Better you learn now rather than during the inspection in March.



Leo (July 23 - Aug. 22)

Even though Leo loves the spotlight and loves getting attention, it's not always a good thing with opposing forces lurking about. Remember to keep a low profile, be unpredictable by varying your route, time and modes of travel and above all, stay alert.



Virgo (Aug. 23 - Sept. 22)

Virgo loves order and hygiene, which could explain why you dis-



Sagittarius (Nov. 22 - Dec. 21)

Sagittarius tends to be weak in the hips and thighs. That's why you hate the thought of using the atropine injectors, but the vaccines will save your life if you're affected by a nerve agent. Look on Page 124 in the Airman's Manual or Page 10-1 in the Kunsan ATSO Guide for instructions.



Taurus (April 30 - May 20)

Taurus hates getting